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SUBJECT: "Cheese Is The Fashion" ... Information from the Information Services, Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

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Cheese is making food headlines again...and for good reasons. It's point-free, you know...and it's on the plentiful side.

Available supplies of cured and aged cheese are not so great...but American cheddar cheese...especially cheese marketed in processed form...is around and in good supply.

The Government has not required producers of Cheddar cheese to withhold any portion of their product...for sale to Government agencies...after August 31...and that means more for the civilian market.

This cheese is not only available...but it also has the same good food values for which it has long been noted. It's still rich in protein of the best quality ...calcium needed for bones and teeth...and has riboflavin of the Vitamin B family.

As if it didn't have enough other virtues...it has one more most important one. It is adaptable.

Remember you can build a whole meal around it...or you can use it in small doses for that extra touch on many dishes...from soup to dessert.

Some people, for example, wouldn't think of serving apple pie without cheese. They believe in the old English rhyme..."An apple pie without cheese...is like a kiss without a squeeze."

Others prefer their cheese in main dishes. Perhaps you don't need to be reminded of these...but here's one you may not have tried. It's a combination of two favorites. French toast and cheese.

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Make a plain bread and cheese sandwich...and dip it in an egg-and-milk mixture (1 egg to 3/4 cup of milk)...and brown it slowly in fat. As the sandwich browns, the cheese melts...becomes soft and creamy...and holds the slices of bread together.

When the sandwich is ready...have the rest of the meal prepared so you can eat immediately.

All you need to go with this is a vegetable or fruit salad...raw cabbage or apple or grapefruit salad would be good...and a hot drink.

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